

The Stikeen River Journal.

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF WRANGEL, SOUTHEASTERN ALASKA, AND THE ALL-CANADIAN ROUTE TO THE YUKON.

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Getting Around The Law.

How Liquor Sellers are Saving Money by Bonding Their Wet Goods.

Alaskan whiskey and liquor shippers have found a new way to get around the government regulations and as a result the bonded warehouses at Skagway are filling up with spirits of all sorts, says the Seattle Times.

On July 1st, liquor will be freely admitted into Alaska and licensed dealers can sell it with impunity. Even the yearly \$100 fine imposed by the federal officers will be no more. Whiskey shippers realize this and according to the officers of the City of Seattle have been saving money.

In order to get whiskey bound for Dawson into British territory it has been necessary to employ government convoys to accompany the shipments across the strip of American territory between Lynn Canal and the summit of White Pass. The convoy is expensive, and as there is no pressing demand for liquor in the Northwest Territory the shippers decided to wait until the new law went into effect.

The customs officials at Skagway are not satisfied that these shippers can hold their liquor there with any such object. In view of the fact that in the regulations governing the movements of liquors in Alaska there is no provision for warehousing liquors, the inference is that if the law was strictly enforced these shippers would have no right to leave their liquor in Skagway. The customs authorities are considering the advisability of shipping it back to British Columbia.

Wholesale dealers are going to make an interesting test of the new Alaskan liquor laws as soon as they go into effect. The big eastern brewing companies and whiskey distillers will establish a main office at some Alaskan point and take out a wholesale liquor license. On this license they propose to open branches all over the territory. The point is an open one and will require a treasury department decision. If this is unfavorable the matter will be taken to the courts.

Jeffries Defeats Fitzsimmons.

About nine thousand people were present at Coney Island Sporting Club when J. Jeffries defeated the world's champion in two classes—middle weight and heavyweight—in eleven rounds of whirlwind fighting. He came to the ring a rank outsider, and left it the acknowledged master of the man he defeated. He had the Australian from the first round, and would have ended it in the tenth but for the lack of time. It was acknowledged that Jeffries would have an immense advantage in weight, height and age, but the thousands who tipped and backed his opponent to win were sure that he was slow. He proved, on the contrary, that he was just as fast as the man he had met, and beat him down to unconscious defeat.

The defeated man was just as good as when he lowered the colors of Corbett. He was just as active, just as clever just as tricky and just as fearless of punishment. He went unflinchingly to his defeat. He was the aggressor even at moments when he was bleeding and unsteady, and when stunned by the blows he received he reeled instinctively towards his opponent, but found him a different opponent than he had met before.

Jeffries fought in a crouching attitude that was hard to get at. He held his head low, his back was bent down and his left arm extended. He kept jabbing away with the left and found no trouble in landing. It was there that his superior reach told. That giant arm served as a sort of human defender to ward off danger. He showed an excellent defence, and the ability to use the hands with skill. He is game too, for he never shrank from his punishment.

ALINE TO DAWSON IS INDICTED AGAIN

No Doubt remains But What The Proposed Railroad Will Be Built.

The Dominion Government is now going to build a railroad. It is to run from Edmonton to the capital of the Klondike giving Dawson direct communication with the outside world. A branch line will probably be run to Wrangel, in the vicinity of which place considerable work has been done.

McKenzie Mann & Co., the best railroad promoters in Canada, have secured a franchise for such a route and a substantial cash subsidy will be tacked on before parliament closes. It is claimed that the company has already commenced preliminary work. Several survey parties have been sent out for some time, and have already reported the plans as feasible. Surveyor O'Dwyer, of the Dominion Department of Railways and canals is now making a survey from Hazelton to the headwaters of the Skeena. Another party has been ordered up the Stikeen from Wrangel. It is expected that the parties will meet in August or September, and the only portion of the route not covered will be from Edmonton to the British Columbia line.

Reducing Customs Force.

On July 1, next, there will be quite a change in the local customs officers. Only two will be stationed at Juneau. They are Deputy Collector John M. Tenney and Inspector E. L. Hunter, who will be removed here from Douglas Island. There will be no inspector on the Island except as may be needed. The inspectors who will go out of office on July 1 are W. J. Culver, A. C. Alden, Capt. W. F. Thomas and Paul A. Smith. C. L. Andrews will be continued as deputy collector at Skagway with probably three inspectors on account of Yukon business. It is said that there will be no inspectors aloft. Deputy collector Tenney has made a careful official, and he has many friends who will be glad to learn that he will remain on duty here.—Alaska Miner.

No Announcement has as yet been made as to what changes will be made in the customs force at Wrangel, however there seems little doubt but that the force will be reduced here in view of the cut made above.

"The grand jury would consider this reindeer scheme as one beyond legitimate criticism were it not for the fact that the large amount of money involved in the solution of an experiment so doubtful, and at the best of so little utility, even if successful, could have been, and can be expended to so much better advantage. With the appropriation for schools increased to the extent of the amount which we believe is being practically thrown away in the reindeer experiment, and the faithful performance of duty on the part of the general agent of education, our people would not now have such cause for complaint because of the cause of educational facilities. The grand jury therefore, earnestly protests against any further appropriations for the importation of domesticated reindeer, and respectfully begs and prays on behalf of a long-suffering people that the honorable secretary of the interior may in his wisdom see fit to relieve Alaska of the incubus of an official who enjoys neither the respect nor the confidence of any considerable portion of her people, white or native, and whose days of usefulness, so far as Alaska is concerned, were long since buried in that abyss of time from which they can never be resurrected."

IS INDICTED AGAIN

True Bill Filed Against Rev. Sheldon Jackson.

The Juneau Grand Jury Charges Him With Deceiving the Government and the People.

The Federal Grand Jury of Alaska has again indicted Rev. Sheldon Jackson, United States educational agent for Alaska, the father of the reindeer transportation scheme for Alaska. This is quite a usual custom with Northern grand juries and little ever comes of it. This year the charges are made more plain and are almost severe enough to require an answer.

The report turned in by the Ex-Gov. Swineford, chairman of the grand jury, charges him with engaging in a useless and expensive attempt to use reindeer for transportation in Alaska, making mendacious official reports, squandering school money, and gross inattention to his duties. Rev. Jackson is now in Alaskan waters on the United States revenue cutter Bear. He is making a trip to the Siberian coast to secure additional reindeer.

After telling of the terrible conditions of the schools are never visited by the educational agent and saying a few mean things about Jackson's reindeer scheme the report charges him with lying, as follows:

"We charge this man is untruthful, and that he has persistently embodied in his official reports statements concerning educational matters in Alaska which he knew to be absolutely false. He has charged time and time again in his official reports, that the Greco-Russian Church oppose the teaching of English in their schools, and threaten parents that if they allow their children to learn English their boys will be taken away and put into the American army as soon as they are old enough to do duty as soldiers. Whereas, the truth is, that English has always been taught in the principal Greco-Russian schools. We have a proof of this fact in the person of an official of this court, who is at least fairly educated in English, but who never attended any other than a Russian school. If he had been guilty of deliberate falsehood in his official reports on schools and education in Alaska, what reliance is to be placed on those he makes concerning the use of reindeer in Alaska?"

"The plain simple truth is that each and every attempt at the use of reindeer for transportation in Alaska has been a failure. We do not need to point to the cruel starving to death of a large number of these animals at Haines mission last year in partial proof of the assertion; it is convincingly substantiated by Dr. Jackson's own report of the journey made in the winter of 1896-7 by Mr. William A. Kjellmann, in which it is shown that five of his reindeer actually starved to death, and that the lives of the balance were only saved by cutting down trees to obtain moss, by which means their lives were prolonged until they could be driven, without harness or sleds, a distance of sixty miles, to where the Lapps, after scouring the country several days, finally found pasture. Yet Dr. Jackson has the effrontery to assert that the result of this trial trip has convinced missionaries, traders and others residing in Northern and Central Alaska, that domestic reindeer can do for them what they have been doing for centuries in Lapland. Mendacity could scarcely go further, even in the threatened loss of a cherished appropriation. There is not a miner or trader in Alaska who will not rather adventurously give the lie to such an assertion, coming any quarter whatever.

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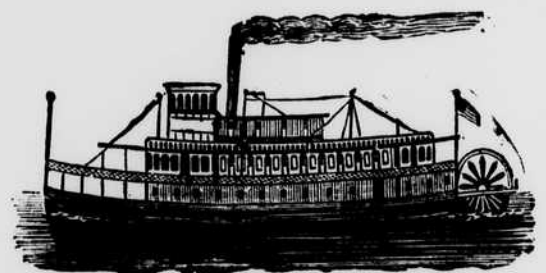
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Judge C. S. Johnson and the officers of the United States Court for the District of Alaska will make a round trip of Alaska, from Sitka back to Sitka again, going by way of the Yukon, starting next month. It may not only be a pleasant, but evidently a needful journey.

For some months business men and other residents of Alaska have been writing to Judge Johnson and Governor Brady asking for a variety of information in regard to the new general license law to go into effect July 1st, next. It at once became apparent that the money could not be paid, and licenses issued and collected this year in time to comply with the law unless the mountain went to Mahomet instead of Mahomed going to the mountain. Hence the trip of the court with all its retinue. U. S. District Attorney Fridrich, Clerk Elliot, Governor Brady, U. S. Marshall Shoup and probably some other officials will compose the party. If Marshall Shoup finds that the duties in connection with the new Juneau Federal building will keep him here, he will send a deputy.

"The court will start from Lake Bennett about July 15 and will have a special steamer. The U. S. Revenue Cutter McCullough will meet the official party at the mouth of the Yukon in September and convey them to "the westward" and back to the capital."

—Alaska Miner.

The Practice of Champerty.

Alaska Not the Only Place where Trickery Is Carried On.

Editor World: "It surprised me to learn through your columns that champerty has obtained a foothold in Canada. The people of Manitoba can scarcely be aware of the pernicious effects that have been produced by this evil practice both in Alaska and in the United States or they would not tolerate it even for a day in their province. The system of electing judges by party vote and the practice of champerty have completely demoralized the administration of justice in Alaska and many parts of the Union, and I hope that neither of these evils will be allowed to gain a foothold in British Columbia. In the United States and Alaska, champerty has brought about the corruption of innumerable judges, jurymen and witnesses, and probably done more to throttle justice than even the election of judges. It has filled the courts of justice with iniquity and the men who brought about its establishment in Manitoba either knowingly or ignorantly levelled a deadly blow at the purity of the Manitoba courts. Innumerable lawyers have been led into corrupting judges, juries and witnesses by the practice of champerty, and I sincerely hope the people of Manitoba will give it up. It is the enemy of honesty and justice. It is sometimes defended on the plea that a poor man may by its practice be enabled to fight a wealthy corporation in the courts, while without it he would fall through the lack of money to obtain his rights. It

is well known, however, that where corruption exists in the courts of justice, the poor have no chance of competing with the rich. The rich always have their own way in a country whose judicial officers can be corrupted. Champerty produces corruption, and, therefore, is a foe of the poor. It requires slight powers of reasoning to see that if a lawyer makes a bargain by which he will win thousands of dollars if he wins a case and nothing at all if he loses it, he will be tempted to move, not heaven and earth, but hell and earth, to win his case. The practice is a strong incitement to all kinds of iniquity in connection with the trial of cases in the court. In many parts of Alaska and the United States it is not necessary that a lawyer have intellectual ability in order to succeed, but it is necessary that he should be a rascal. It is to be hoped that the pernicious practices which have placed low cunning and rascality above intellect and virtue in the courts of that country will never be tolerated in Canada."

JOHN SIMPSON.

The fact that the above article announces a truth, beyond any question of a doubt, is enough to cause every American citizen to bow his head in shame. Champerty, Barratry and Maintenance, are three of the most pernicious offences in the category of crime, and wherever either of these offences bloom out in a community the lawabiding citizens would do well to take time by the forelock and forestall its advancement. Suits are being maintained by barrators through the practice of champerty in Wrangel almost daily—not by lawyers, but by and through the higher officials. In two instances during the past week suits have been instituted in the courts at Wrangel, when the plaintiffs have been assured by the officials that in consideration of their commencing suits against certain parties they would, in case the suit terminated adversely to them, be relieved from the payment of costs. In another case several parties have combined and are supplying funds for the purpose of carrying on a frivolous lawsuit against some of our most respected, reliable and trustworthy citizens under a contract that each party contributing shall share equally with the nominal plaintiff in the action the amount that may be recovered; any man or set of men who will stoop to the practice of either of the three offences mentioned will not stop long to decide who the next victim will be. It therefore behooves every man to be on his guard against such miscreants. A move in the right direction at this time if backed by the people at large would most likely eliminate such practices from among us.

Section 674.

The following is a copy of the drag-net: the famous Section under which Fred Page-Tustin administers justice Sec. 674: "If any person shall wilfully or wrongfully commit any act which grossly injures the person, or property of another, or which grossly disturbs the public peace or health, or which openly outrages the public decency, and is injurious to public morals, such person, if no punishment is expressly prescribed therefor by this code, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not less than one month, nor more than six months, or by fine not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars."

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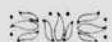
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Steamers call at Mary Island, Ketchikan and Wrangel, north and south bound. The Cottage City will call at Victoria, B. C., north and south bound. The above dates are only approximate. For further information obtain folder. The company reserves the right to change without previous notice, steamers' sailing date or hour of sailing. AGENTS: McKinnon wharf and Forwarding Co., Wrangel. H. F. ROBINSON, Alaska Supt., Juneau. T. F. Trowbridge, Puget Sound Supt., Seattle. GOODALL, PERKINS & Co., Gen. Agts. San Francisco.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Expected Has Happened.

Skaguay Preacher Skips.

Fresh Bread at Weigels Bakery.

The Casca steamed in Thursday from up river points. The officers report a successful trip.

Weigel makes a specialty of fine pastry to order.

The Baranoff returned Thursday with passengers and mail, and a consignment of clam juice from the various ports to the westward.

Hunt Grocery Co. General market place for Wrangel.

The S. S. Rosalie called at Troupe's wharf on Tuesday last, with a large cargo of freight and a large list of passengers for Wrangel. She sailed north the same day.

Weigel makes the best Pies, Cakes, and bread in town.

The home of Mr. L. W. Wakefield was disturbed on Sunday last by the arrival of a seven pound boy, mother and son are doing well and L. W. is happy.

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Hon. Frank Richards and Ike Evans, the two efficient customs officers at the Boundary, came down the river on the Strathcona on her last trip. Mr. Richards returned to the Boundary on same boat, Tuesday last.

The family of Leint L. C. Jinks arrived on the Cottage City and will make Wrangel their home for an indefinite time.

For a first class shave, hair cut or shampoo, patronise the O. K. Tonsorial parlors. Finest brands of Cigars & Tobaccos.

More trouble for Donald Sinclair. At 3 o'clock P. M. Thursday a ten pound boy arrived, and now Donald will have to walk the floor o' nights. All parties doing well.

H. E. Tremayne, the popular purser of the Strathcona was a busy man Monday and Tuesday getting things in shape for the third voyage up the Stikkeen this season.

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Harry Kirshbaum who was convicted of manslaughter for the killing of an indian at Wrangel, was the first white man convicted of killing an indian in the Territory of Alaska.

U. S. Marshall Shoup passed through Wrangel on Sunday last, with three prisoners for McNeil's Island, Wash., where all prisoners from Alaska are now confined who have more than one year to serve. Harry Kirshbaum was one of the trio.

F. E. Cagle has opened a tin shop in the Bloomhardt Block, 214 Front St and is prepared to do all kinds of work at short notice.

The S. S. Orizaba moored at McKinnon dock Friday, after delivering a large cargo of freight at the new cannery, and left on the evening tide for Lynn Canal points.

The Cottage City called Friday with a large list of passengers for Sound points

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The S. S. Cottage City called in on Saturday, last, with a large list of passengers and considerable freight for

Bank of Montreal bills of the larger denomination have all disappeared from view in Wrangel.

The river steamer Strathcona returned from Glenora and Telegraph creek on Monday, having made a successful trip. She immediately began loading freight for up river points, and steamed out of harbor Tuesday evening with about 400 tons aboard.

Gospel meeting every Sunday night at 436 Front St. at 7.30 p. m. Bible class every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, in the same place. All are cordially invited to attend.

A Reliable Pilot.

Any one wishing to engage the services of a reliable guide and pilot who is familiar with the entire coast of South eastern Alaska, can do so by calling at this office, or at Reid & Sylvester's store. A great many mining experts and others will come to Alaska this summer with a desire to visit some particular locality along the coast. All such persons will find it to their best interests to obtain the services of a perfectly reliable pilot, who, from long experience is acquainted with the Alaska coast and tide currents.

On Tuesday evening last Mrs. H. Uhler and Mr. Eugene Haw were publicly joined together in the bonds of matrimony. Both of the high contracting parties are well known in Wrangel and highly esteemed. They will at once set up housekeeping at the late home of the bride where all friends will receive a hearty welcome. The JOURNAL joins in wishing them many happy years of conjugal bliss.

The music for the above occasion was furnished by the Wrangel Concert Band, consisting of 52 peices: several selections were rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. Hofstad, who have been sojourning at Sitka for some time past, returned to Wrangel on the last trip of the Cottage City.

Dr. R. B. Davy has returned from Atlin after a stay of three months. The doctor is looking well and is as brown as a berry. His report of Atlin is not flattering.

J. McKeand, editor and publisher of the Stikkeen River Journal at Fort Wrangel, came up on the Cottage City and called on the News. Mr. Mc. gets up a good spicy paper, and personally is an all round good fellow. He has made the Journal a paying proposition. —Douglas Island News.

John Crampton, late of Co. H 14th. Infantry, wsa who discharged from the service some time ago, has, on the recommendation of Capt. Eldrich, been appointed chief Quartermaster clerk for the District of Alaska. John has seen many years of service, both active and otherwise, and is a thorough soldier.

Paul Bergfeld has returned from the Chuck Mining Camp, and reports Karl Koberstein and all the old Wrangel boys in excellent health and doing fairly well. Mr. Bergfeld is of the opinion that the Chuck and Windham Bay districts will become good producers in the near future.

Charles Walker of Walker Creek fame, Cassiar, left on the steamer Strathcona for Glenora from there he will go into the Cassiar country. Mr. Walker is representing eastern capital.

We received a very interesting letter from Teslin which was crowded out. We will publish it in our next issue.

Mr. Frost returned from the Windham Bay district. He says: "There is gold there, but there is a powerful lot of dirt mixed with it."

Books! Books!

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J. R. McKeand, publisher of the Stikkeen River Journal at Wrangel, made this office a pleasant call this week.—Mining Record, Juneau.

The S. S. City of Topeka passed through Wrangel for Sound points on Sunday with a large list of passengers.

There seems to be an epidemic of strikes and tornadoes throughout the States with much loss of life and property.

C. E. Ingersol returned from Ketchikan on the Farallon on Wednesday and reports things lively in that camp.

The S. S. Farallon tied up at the Troupe wharf on Wednesday, heavily loaded with freight. She made a trip to the new cannery, and then departed for the North.

J. F. Roundtree in company with Dr. Beach, returned this week from Windham Bay; they report too much snow to successfully carry on prospecting.

Wilson & Sylvester's steamer, Alaska, Capt. Crook, returned Wednesday evening from Juneau.

Mr. John Evans, editor of the Press Anthon, Iowa, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and diarrhoea Remedy in my family for fifteen years, have recommended it to hundreds of others, and have never known it to fail in a single instance. For sale by Wrangel Drug Co.

Mr. R. H. Hall, manager for the Hudson Bay Co. in the Northwest Territory, made this office a pleasant call during the week. Mr. Hall came down on the Co's steamer Strathcona, last trip, and will take the first Steamer south for Port Simpson. Mr. Hall is a very pleasant gentleman to meet, and no doubt, from a business standpoint, the Company's affairs could not be in better hands.

Judge Brinker, formerly U. S. District Attorney of Washington under Cleveland and a prominent Democratic politician, passed through Wrangel from Juneau on his way to Ketchikan in charge of the steam launch Americus, where he goes to represent a number of Washington capitalists in a mining enterprise.

J. R. McKeand has been appointed a Notary Public in and for the District of Alaska by Governor Brady, and is now ready to accommodate the public in that line. When you have any Notary work call at the JOURNAL office.

W. H. Leamon, a local Methodist preacher of Skaguay, is accused by three other members of the Methodist church of Everett, Wn., Messrs. May and Kim, with whom he was associated at Skaguay, with "salting" some Quartz with gold filings found in the mortar in which the rock was pounded out. After being charged with the duplicity, Leman took advantage of the timely arrival of the City of Seattle and left for Everett. The prospect from which the rock was taken is on the East side of the Skaguay valley. It was about to be sold to a Skaguay citizen when the expose was made by Rev. J. J. Walter. Leman was to receive \$500 as his share of the deal.—Alaskan Miner.

Ye Editor: spent this week in Juneau on business.

CITIZENS OF WRANGEL.

You are requested by the Fort Wrangel Chamber of Commerce to use all due diligence and haste in clearing your door yard of any garbage and sewerage which may be there, to place the same in a proper receptical, and remove it to the beach, at intervals of not less than three times a week.

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E. W. LAPSLEY, M. D.,
LEUES, SYLVESTER,
JOHN, E. SALES,
Sanitary Committee for the Fort Wrangel Chamber of Commerce.
Fort Wrangel, Alaska, May 9th, 1899.

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